

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Reissue Application of:

Ronald Surya et al.

Serial No.: 10/829,478

Filed: April 21, 2004

For: TONER CARTRIDGE IDENTIFICATION
SYSTEM FOR A PRINTER

Examiner Hoang X. Ngo

Group Art Unit: 2852

December 15, 2006

Costa Mesa, California 92626

RESPONSE TO TELEPHONE CONFERENCE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

On December 13, 2006 Examiner Ngo called the undersigned to discuss several issues regarding the application. Specifically, the Examiner wanted the claims amended on October 26, 2006 to be rewritten with brackets “[]” for the deletion of matter, instead of strike-through. The Examiner also requested a supplemental reissue oath that stated “All errors corrected in the reissue application arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant”.

In response to the Examiner’s requests, please find enclosed a copy of the reissue application declaration signed by the inventors, as originally filed on April 21, 2004 which contains the statement on page 2 “All errors corrected in this reissue application arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant”. Also, enclosed is a rewritten set of claims using brackets to delete matter, instead of strike-through.

In light of the correction of these informalities, Applicant respectfully requests that the claims be allowed and the application passed to issue.

Very truly yours,

SNELL & WILMER L.L.P.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Albin H. Gess", is written over a horizontal line.

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